

# DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

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## CAPSTONE PRESENTATIONS

Mark your calendar for the capstone presentations on April 11 (Wed) and April 12 (Thursday) evening.

## DEPARTMENT PARTY

We can all take a break as essays pile up and deadlines loom. Food and wine plus delightful company will make April a less cruel month.

Everyone is invited to the Department's end-of-year party. See you all there!

Date: April 17 (Tuesday)  
Time: 4:00pm – 5:30pm  
Venue: E-zone

## CENG POETRY SLAM 2018

As their first year at university draws to a close, our first-year students will celebrate by performing the poems they wrote in CENG 2.

Come and cheer the poets on:

Date: April 18 (Wednesday)  
Time: 1:30pm – 2:30pm  
Venue: UCC C3



## RESEARCH AND CONFERENCES

Professor Carmen Lee has edited a Special Issue on Discourse of Social Tagging for the journal Discourse, Context, and Media. The volume consists of eight articles exploring the use of hashtags in various social media including Instagram, Twitter, and Tumblr. Among the contributions are an introduction by Professor Lee and an article on Instagram hashtags in political movements, co-written by Professor Lee and Dennis Chau. Find out more about the Special Issue [here](#).

Professor Gleckman is attending the annual Shakespeare Association of America conference in Los Angeles, California (28-31 March). His paper is entitled "Historicizing Religion in Shakespearean Tragedy."

Professor Hansen Edwards will be on leave April 3-4. Professor Carmen Lee will be the Acting Head in Professor Hansen Edwards' absence.

*The Reading Week is 29 March (Thur) to 4 April (Wed). Happy Easter!*